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Memorandum

TO: Elderly and Disabled Advisory Committee

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FR: Ursula Vogler, EDAC Staff Liaison

RE: Staff Liaison Report

Transportation 2035 Adoption Process

Just a reminder, any written comments on the Transportation 2035 plan are due by March 2 at 4 p.m. The plan is scheduled for adoption by the Commission on March 25.

New EDAC Members

Please welcome new EDAC members Dolores Jaquez, Marc Roddin and Thora Worrell. Dolores Jaquez is the new Sonoma County advisor representing the elderly community. She is retired from her former work at the University of California (in the areas of staff development support of teachers and post-secondary education in low-income regions). She served on AC Transit's Board of Directors from November 2002 through November 2006, as well as on the Oakland Planning Commission and the California Student Aid Commission.

Marc Roddin is the new Santa Clara County advisor representing the elderly community. Mr. Roddin is a former MTC employee with more than two decades of work on regional transportation planning, policy and funding issues. He authored portions of San Mateo County's first paratransit plan in the 1980s, and was MTC's liaison for Santa Clara and San Mateo counties.

Thora Worrell is the new Santa Clara County advisor representing the disabled community. Ms. Worrell has had a varied career

involving residential loan assistance, strategic planning, public policy forecasting, public affairs management, information services, and English literature. At the community level, she has been a speaker and panel moderator for many groups and events, as well as a member of the Oakland Patrons of the Arts and Humanities and a member of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce.

Ms. Jaquez and Ms. Worrell will attend the March EDAC meeting; due to a schedule conflict in March, Mr. Roddin will attend his first EDAC meeting in April.